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In re Application of:)	
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Application No.: 10/580,841)	Group Art Unit: 2886
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SPECTROMETER USING THE SAME)	

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT IN RCE

Concurrently filed herein with a Request for Continued Examination and prior to continued examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This filing is in response to the Final Office Action dated April 19, 2011, the period for response to which extends through October 19, 2011, by the concurrently-filed petition for a three-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment.